

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1642
KIEFER et al.) Examiner: Hunt, J.
Serial No.: 09/633,200) REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on February 13, 2002, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from May 13, 2002, to June 13, 2002.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$55 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

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